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REMARKS

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for the careful consideration given the present application. The application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office action, and amended as necessary to more clearly and particularly describe the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Claims 2-21 remain in the application. Claim 1 has been cancelled. Claims 19-21 have been allowed. Claims 2, 6-8, 10 and 16 have been indicated to include allowable subject matter. Claims 2 and 10 have been rewritten in independent form. Claims 6-9 depend directly or indirectly from claim 2. Claim 16 depends directly from claim 2.

Claims 3-5, 11-15, 17 and 18 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Specifically, within claim 3 the term "said rotators" lacks antecedent basis.

Claim 3 has been amended to depend directly from claim 2, and claim 2 provides the required antecedent basis.

Further, within claim 11, the term "said plurality of motors" lacks antecedent basis. Claim 11 has been amended to depend from claim 10, and claim 10 provides the required antecedent basis.

Further, claims 17 and 18 are drawn to a method, but depend from a claim that is not a method. Claims 17 and 18 have been amended to depend from method claim 16. Accordingly, it is submitted that the grounds for rejecting method claim 17 and 18 have been removed.

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Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claims 3-5, 11-15, 17 and 18 is respectfully requested.

In light of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and notice to that effect is hereby requested. If it is determined that the application is not in a condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to initiate a telephone interview with the undersigned attorney to expedite prosecution of the present application.

If there are any additional fees resulting from this communication, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0160, our Order No. HRA-14970.

Respectfully submitted,

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